

Anne Arundel County Public Schools *Fast Facts*

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Anne Arundel County Public Schools (AACPS) provides a challenging and rewarding educational experience *for every child*. Located on the magnificent Chesapeake Bay, Anne Arundel County is near the cities of Baltimore and Washington, D.C., and is home to the state capital, Annapolis, which has a rich historical past. **The AACPS school system is the 5th largest in Maryland, and among the 50 largest school systems in the country.**



OUR BUDGET

FY2009 Operating Budget - \$931,302,700

OUR SCHOOLS

78 elementary schools
1 charter school
1 alternative high school
1 early education center



19 middle schools
2 applied technology centers
1 middle school learning center

12 high schools
3 special education centers
1 special education regional program

9 NATIONAL BLUE RIBBON SCHOOLS OF EXCELLENCE

Benfield Elementary
Folger McKinsey Elementary
Oak Hill Elementary

Bodkin Elementary
Jones Elementary
Severna Park Middle

Broadneck Elementary
Mayo Elementary
West Annapolis Elementary

13 MARYLAND BLUE RIBBON SCHOOLS OF EXCELLENCE

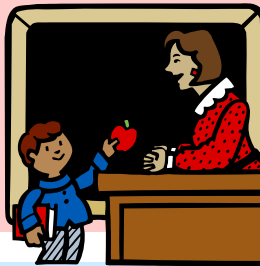
Benfield Elementary
Crofton Middle
Mayo Elementary
Shipley's Choice Elementary
West Annapolis Elementary

Bodkin Elementary
Folger McKinsey Elementary
Oak Hill Elementary
South River High

Broadneck Elementary
Jones Elementary
Severna Park Middle
Southern High School

OUR TEACHERS

Staff of over 5,600 teachers
Average teacher salary of \$63,066



STAFFING RATIOS

Prekindergarten: 1 teacher & 1 assistant for 20 students
Kindergarten: 1 teacher for 18 students
Grades 1-3: 1 for 25
Grades 4-5: 1 for 28
Grades 6-8: 1 for 22
Grades 9-12: 1 for 23

OUR STUDENTS

Student population of approximately 73,800
Class of 2008 - 5,179 graduates
78.0% to two and four-year colleges/universities
9.0% to business, technical, and trade schools
3.0% to the military



\$47.7 million total in scholarships

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS 26 credits

- 4 English
- 4 Math
- 3 Science
- 3 Social Studies
- 1 Fine Arts
- 1 Basic Technology
- ½ Health
- 1 Physical Education
- 8½ Electives

MEAL COSTS

Breakfast - \$1.25 Lunch (secondary) - \$2.25 Lunch (elementary) - \$2.00 Milk (a la carte) - \$.50

